

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Peter Mueller Group Art Unit: 3724
Serial No.: 10/576,233 Examiner: P.H.Nguyen
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For: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR SLICING FOOD BARS

Attorney Docket No.: 1401A-006

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY				
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA			RATE		ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	20	-- 20	= 0	x	\$	52.00	= \$	0.00
INDEP.	4	-- 5	= 0	x	\$	220.00	= \$	0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					+	\$	0.00	= \$ 0.00
TOTAL								
ADDIT. FEE								\$ 0.00

FEE PAYMENT

5. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$180.00 to Deposit Account No. 501097 for the Supplemental IDS which is being sent with this Office Action.

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FEE DEFICIENCY

6. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 50-1097.

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